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SUBJECT: NOON PRESS BRIEFING, JULY 25, 1974

WHITE HOUSE PASS SAM 86970FOR EAGLEBURGER FOR THE SECRETARY
FOR ANDERSON FROM KIN6

1. PRESS RELEASED SECRETARY'S MESSAGE TO MARVOS. CONFIRMED THAT TASCA SAW KARAMANLIS YESTERDAY MORNING TO DELIVER
PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

2. CEASE-FIRE: KING SAID CEASE-FIRE APPEARED TO BE HOLDING -- WAS BETTER THAN IT WAS AND HOPED TREND WOULD CONTINUE.

3. CLERIDES: STATED THAT IT WAS OUR JUDGMENT THAT
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CLERIDES WAS INSTALLED TO ACT AS PRESIDENT UNDER OUR READ-

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ING OF CYPRIOT CONSTITUTION; NAMELY, ARTICLE 44.
REFUSED TO SAY IF MARKARIOS WOULD BECOME PRESIDENT IF HE
RETURNED TO CYPRUS. CONFIRMED AGAIN THAT SECRETARY WAS
SCHEDULED TO SEE MAKARIOS MONDAY AFTERNOON.

- 4. LUNS' COMMENTS ON NATO: KING CONFINED COMMENT THAT WE WERE OBVIOUSLY PLEASED WITH TURN OF EVENTS AND HOPED IT WOULD AUGUR WELL FOR THE ALLIANCE.
- 5. SALT QUESTIONS: STATED THAT WE HAVE POSTED ANSWERS. AS FOR RESUMPTION OF SALT TALKS, KING SAID NO DATE HAD YET BEEN SET.
- 6. SECRETARY'S CALL FOR NATIONAL DEBATE ON DISARMAMENT: KING SAID HE KNEW THIS SUBJECT WAS VERY MUCH ON MIND OF SECRETARY AND NOTED THAT SECRETARY HAD ALREADY APPEARED BEFORE CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES SINCE HIS RETURN. BEYOND THAT, HE HAD NOTHING SPECIFIC ON PROGRAM OR TIMING.

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